Date		Contacted	Material
7 Aug	C C M M	Bob Lockhart, Asst Counsel, HPO&CS John Martiny, Chief Counsel, HPO&CS Jim Cline, Counsel, H. Judiciary Com Frank Slatinshek, Chief Counsel, HASC Herb Hoffman, H. Judiciary Comm.	Yes
8 Aug	C C M C C	Rady Johnson, DOD Ray Jacobson, D/Bureau of Policies & Standards, CSC John Martiny John Lehman, White House Wally Johnson, White House Jim Cline	Yes
9 Aug	M	Rep Richard Poff (R., Va.)	Yes
10 Aug	M C	Rep Edward Hutchinson (R., Mich.)Herb Hoffman	Yes
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Talked to Rep Poff and asked his advice re approaching Celler directly. Poff said he would raise w/Celler. Poff later called, he talked w/Celler and said would be best for us to oppose rider as a whole rather than seek specific exemption for Agency. I mentioned Chief Justice Burger's statement in today's press re judicial system being overloaded. I said would seem good argument against additional burdens Ervin bill would impose. Poff agreed. He thought our next step might be letter from DCI to Celler re our problems and would like to explain them to him at his convenience. Poff thought no urgency.

LLM Talked to Paul Woodard, Justice, per Wally Johnson's referral. He said Justice not been particularly active on Hill but had been deferring to CSC, citing Hampton's Itr to Celler. He said Poff an excellent advocate for us w/ Celler and House possibly may delete Title II and send bill back to Senate. Said had good contacts w/Sen Ervins office as former Chief Counsel to his Constitutional Rights Subc, promised to make inquiries our behalf and let us know. I mentioned Chief Burger's and Asst Atty Gen Peterson's remarks Monday before ABA seem to strongly argue against legislation as Ervin rider as increases case load. Reminded him Judicial Conference had previously taken position against Ervin bill as would permit filing of suit before exhaustion of administrative remedies and suggested it might be timely and effective if Justice and Judicial Conference made their views known to Celler and others and he agreed.

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Called Paul Woodard who had promised to contact Sen Ervin's Constitutional Rights Subc to get reading on prospects of the rider. He was unable to get in touch with Larry Baskir, Chief Counsel, but promised to keep trying and let us know.

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- 10 Aug 72 JMM Told Hoffman of conversation w/Hutchinson. Said confident no action for several days.
- Talked with Wally Johnson, White House, to review developments. Advised that JMM had talked w/Rep Poff and other members of Judiciary Comm and Judiciary and HPO&CS Comm staffs. Said we understood CSC written a letter to Chairman Celler but not yet seen copy. Added Poff was going to try to speak w/Celler on our behalf and we might contact Celler directly. Johnson had no info except that he thought it unlikely anything would move before Republican Convention recess.
 - JMM Talked to Ray Jacobson, CSC, who said Chairman Bob Hampton written Celler saying "Ervin bill" rider created serious problems and recommended complete deletion. Jacobson sending us a copy of Hampton's letter. Suggested we talk to Ken Stallo, D/Pers for Justice, and Lou Pellerzi, Asst Atty Gen for Administration, Justice, who CSC has talked with on this problem and who plan to get in touch with Celler.
 - JMM Talked to Herb Hoffman, H. Judiciary Comm staff, who thought it might be premature for me to see Celler now.

- 4 Aug 72 Senate passed, with committee amendments, H.R. 12652 to extend the life of the Commission on Civil Rights.

 The Ervin bill. S. 1438, was one of the amendments.
- JMM called Bob Lockhart, HPO&CSC, who said the rider would be subject to a point of order re "germaneness" but there are various ways of getting around this. Said should try to get bill defeated or amended in conference rather than risk a floor fight.
 - JMM John Martiny, HPO&CSC, appreciates our problems but matter out of his hands and we would have to work with House Judiciary Committee & suggested Herb Hoffman or Ben Zelenko.
 - JMM Met w/Jim Cline, H. Judiciary Comm., who appreciated GLC our problem but pointed out number of uncertainties as to how this legislation might fare in conference or on the House floor.
 - JGO Memo re above. Cline said after our review of situation (MR) we feel that it is necessary, we should deal directly with Chairman Celler himself and not with intermediate members of the staff. Said Senator Ervin is a highly respected man.
 - JMM Met w/Frank Slatinshek, H. Armed Services Comm., who JGO indicated Chairman Hebert would do whatever he could on our behalf, including a letter to or talk w/Chairman Celler. He said to tell Herb Hoffman to call him if he wished to discuss it.
 - JMM Met w/Herb Hoffman, H. Judiciary Comm., who is handling the Ervin matter for the Committee. Briefed him on nature of Agency's concern and left w/him fact sheets and backup material spelling out problems the bill would create for Agency. He seemed to understand and sympathized.
 - JGO Memo re above. Hoffman also asked what Rep. Ford's (MR) attitude might be on floor vote. Said he might call Slatinshek re bill.
 - JMM Called Bernard Rosen, Ex Dir, CSC, to express our concern.
 Said re talks on Hill it appeared a strong position by CSC
 would be helpful in defeating. Rosen said he would discuss
 CSC present position w/Chairman Hampton and let us know.

- 8 Aug 72 JMM Called Rady Johnson, DOD, who said he planned to see Chairman Dulski, HPO&CSC, and JMM said would contact Poff, Hanley and Henderson. Said hoped we could put enough pressure on CSC and White House to get them to weigh in to knock out entire rider. Johnson said if this failed he thought Hanley bill version would be preferable.
 - Ray Jacobson, D/Bureau of Policies & Standards, CSC, said Chairman Hampton felt strongly any legislation along lines of Ervin bill or Hanley bill would create very serious problems for all Executive agencies and disposed to oppose any and all such legislation. He hoped we would not promote idea we could get along w/Hanley bill. Agreed to separately contact Jim Martiny, HPO&CSC to get him to influence Dulski to assert his jurisdictional authority.

 Jacobson contacted Martiny and told him of the CSC opposition to any version of Ervin rider. JMM rptd talk w/Martiny re PO&CSC would not assert their jurisdiction over the legislation in question and should concentrate our efforts on members of Judiciary Comm.
 - JMM Met w/Martiny who said was unrealistic to think Dulski or any other member of Comm would try to assert jurisdiction over the rider since was strictly responsibility of Judiciary Comm. But Dulski was informing Celler of his view that Agency and FBI and NSA should be completely exempt from bill and would pass to Celler copies of ltrs Dulski received from Mahon and Hebert re exemption.
 - JMM Called John Lehman, White House, who seemed aware of situation and said call Wally Johnson.
 - JMM Called Wally Johnson, White House, who understood our concern and suggested we make special effort to present it to Rep Hutchinson and Tom Mooney, Judiciary Comm. Also talk to Paul Woodard, Justice Dept (formerly worked for Ervin). Sending Johnson material.

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